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Medtronic, Inc.

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PATENT APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith his response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004, and a request for a two-month extension of time. In addition, a terminal disclaimer is included with this Response. A complete listing of the claims begins on the following page, with remarks following thereafter.